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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph beginning on page 1, line 5 with the following rewritten paragraph:

--This application claims priority to U.S. Provisional Application Ser. No. 60/216,103, filed July 6, 2000. This application relates to U.S. Patent Ser. No. 09/900,230, filed July 6, 2001, U.S. Patent 6,545,209B1, issued April 8, 2003, U.S. Patent Ser. No. 09/934,071, filed August 20, 2001, U.S. Patent Ser. No. 09/934,774, filed August 21, 2001, U.S. Patent Ser. No. 09/935,349, filed August 21, 2001, U.S. Patent 6,657,117, issued December 2, 2003, U.S. Patent Ser. No. 09/904,465, filed July 13, 2001, U.S. Patent 6,748,395, issued June 8, 2004, U.S. Patent Ser. No. 09/942,509, filed August 29, 2001, and U.S. Patent Ser. No. 09/928,004, filed August 10, 2001 Appln. Nos. (Attorney Docket Nos. MSFT-577 through MSFT-579, and MSFT-581 through MSFT-587).